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MEMORANDUM FOR: DEPUTY UNDER SECRETARY - ALMINISTRATION

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

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SPECIAL ASSESSMENT, INTRILIGENCE

SUBJECT

Mamitions Information Liaison

1. Informal discussions between Mr. John C. Elliott, Chief of the Munitions Division of your office, and Chief of Frocurement for CIA, have indicated that there is available in the Humitions Division a considerable amount of information of great petential value to certain of our procurement problems. Also our plans contemplate action which will require the assistance of the Humitions Division on expert and import licenses for arms, munitions and explosives.

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- 2. We therefore wish to establish direct administrative lisison between our Procurement Office and the Eunitions Division in the Department of State.
- 3. The Chief of Procurement for CLA, or his designee, will be authorized to consult with the Chief of the Emitions Division, or his designer, on presurement matters coming within their fields of mutual interest, and to make official request for special errengements for clearance on import and export problems.
 - L. Please acknowledge if this is satisfactory to you.

FOR THE DIRECTOR OF CANTRAL INTELLIGENCE.

MURRAY BECOMNIG. Deputy Director

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